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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DOD-2013-OS-0100]

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of Defense Education Activity (DoDEA), DoD.

ACTION: Notice.

In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the

Department of Defense Education Activity announces a proposed public information collection

and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: (a) whether the

proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of

the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the

agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; (c) ways to enhance the

quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the

burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated

collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by [insert date 60 days after date

of publication in the Federal Register].

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the

following methods:

• Federal eRulemaking Portal: http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for

submitting comments.

Mail: Federal Docket Management System Office, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Suite
02G09, East Tower, 2nd Floor, Alexandria, VA 22350-3100.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title for this Federal Register document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the Internet at http://www.regulations.gov as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), Department of Defense Education Activity (Assessment and Accountability), ATTN: Leesa Rompre, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Alexandria, Virginia 22350 or at Leesa.Rompre@hq.dodea.edu or at (571) 372-1878.

TITLE; ASSOCIATED FORM; AND OMB CONTROL NUMBER: Department of Defense Education Activity (DoDEA) Parent Survey and Student Survey, OMB Control Number 0704-0462.

NEEDS AND USES: This information collection requirement is necessary for schools to maintain their accreditation status from the accreditation agency AdvancED Accreditation through AdvancED is based on adherence to the five AdvancED standards, verifiable student and organizational performance, and stakeholder responses. DoDEA is seeking renewal for the Parent Survey and Student Survey.

AFFECTED PUBLIC: Individuals or Households.

ANNUAL BURDEN HOURS: 193

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NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS: 580

RESPONSES PER RESPONDENT: 1

AVERAGE BURDEN PER RESPONSE: 20 minutes

FREQUENCY: Annually.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Summary of Information Collection

The primary objective of the information collection is to allow the primary stakeholders

(students and parents or legal guardians) the opportunity to provide meaningful input to guide the

school in improvement efforts in a systemic method.

The information provided through this information collection is anonymous and is

compiled and distributed to the school through the outside accreditation agency AdvancED. The

information collection process is voluntary.

Dated: June 4, 2013.

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